

Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, Wednesday, Dec. 23rd, 1908

J. M. & SUTOR, Publishers

Christmas Greeting

We take pleasure in extending to all our customers especially and to the people of Grand Rapids and vicinity in general, the compliments of the season. You will all have a

Merry Christmas

and
Happy New Year

if our wishes are realized. Remember us next year with as liberal a patronage as you have the past year and we shall be satisfied that our efforts to anticipate the wants and pleasure of the trade in this city is appreciated. We are here to serve you.

Heineman Mercantile
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GRAND RAPIDS, WISCONSIN.

CHRISTMAS BUYERS
ATTENTION

We still have a complete line of the following articles which can be bought at the right prices.

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| Men's House Coats from \$4.00 to \$8.00 | Mocha mitts, fleece lined 50c \$1.00 \$2.00 |
| Men's fancy silk and cashmere hose, put up 4 pr. in fancy box \$2.00 | Cotton and linen handkerchiefs plain or initial 10c to 50c |
| 4-in-hand ties in single or double boxes, ranging in prices from 25c 50c \$1.00 | Suspenders in fancy boxes at 50c 75c \$1.50 |
| Sweater coats in plain and fancy colors \$1.00 to \$5.00 | Combination suspenders—arm bands and garters, in single box 50c to 1.00 |
| Men's Reefer mufflers in fancy silks 50c to \$2.00 | Men's fancy vests from \$1.00 to \$4.50 |
| Silk and fur lined gloves \$1.00 to \$2.00 | Genuine seal skin caps \$6.00 to \$10.00 |
| Fur lined mittens at \$2.50 | Fur collars \$4.00 \$4.50 \$5.00 |
| Men's Caps 50c to \$2.00 | Boy's gauntlet mitts, fleece lined 50c |

Sampson-Halvorsen
CLOTHIERS

For Eczema Tetter and Salt Rheum

The intense itching characteristic of these ailments is almost instantly relieved by Chamberlain's Salve. Many severe cases have been cured by its use. For sale by Dally Drug & Jewelry Co.

A Phonograph makes a very acceptable Christmas present. Dally has them and he has the largest line of records in this part of the state.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors who so kindly aided and deeply sympathized with us in our recent bereavement. We particularly thank the members of the M. W. A. and the P. U. lodges for the courtesies shown us. Mrs. Henry Helke and family.

Glove and Mitten Factory

James Doyle of Berlin will start a glove and mitten factory at Wautoma. The people of that village have agreed to give him \$150 when the factory is in operation and employ at least ten persons and \$100 at the end of the year, providing the factory is then in operation. It is stated that the plant will cost \$5,000.

Of Interest to Saloon Keepers.

A decision of interest to saloon keepers has just been handed down by the supreme court. A petition was presented to the Wisconsin council asking that the license of Fred Brand be revoked, for the reason that liquor had been sold to a minor in his saloon. The council refused to revoke the license and mandamus proceedings were instituted to compel it to do so. In the proceedings which followed it was admitted Brand's bartender sold the liquor but without Brand's knowledge or consent and against his orders. Judge Marchetti held that a saloon keeper's license could not be revoked because of an unlawful act being committed by the bartender. The case was taken to the supreme court, where Judge Marchetti's decision was reversed, thus holding that the owner of the saloon is responsible in this respect at least, for the act of his bartender.

New Lodge Officers.

The Royal Neighbors have elected the following officers for their lodge for the ensuing year: Orator, Mrs. Grace Dunaway; Vice Orator, Mrs. Louise Schuman; Recorder, Mrs. Mollie Bossert; Receiver, Mrs. Mattie Hansen; Chancellor, Mrs. Josephine Hoffstetter; Marshal, Mrs. Julia Hains; Ass't. Marshal, Mrs. Nellie Auer; Junior Sentinel, Mrs. Elsie Geise; Outer Sentinel, Mrs. Anna Peterson.

At the last regular meeting the Rebekah lodge elected the following officers: Noble Grand, Mrs. Grace Dunaway; Vice Grand, Mrs. Elsie Walther; Secretary, Mrs. M. L. Beel; Fin. Secretary, Mrs. Ella Minneman; Treas., Mrs. Louise Schuman; Lodge Deputy, Emma Allie.

Death of a Former Resident.

Wausau Record-Herald.—Clemens LeMore, a veteran of the civil war and an old resident of Wausau, died at his home at 1409 Second street Monday. Death was due to paralysis of the heart.

He was born in Canada 81 years ago and settled in Grand Rapids, this state, 62 years ago. Later he moved to Stevens Point and 37 years ago he came to Wausau. For many years he was pilot on the Wisconsin river between Wausau and Stevens Point. He leaves his widow and several children.

The funeral will be held Thursday forenoon from St. James' Catholic church. Father Brennan officiating.

The So-Called Moon Doctor Coming This Moon.

—I will again come to Grand Rapids this moon and treat as many as I can while there. The date will be Dec. 21st and Jan. 1st until noon at the Anderson Hotel. I am anxious to meet with all such ailments which are pronounced incurable by others, and claim that the new moon will heal all such ailments as Goiter, rheumatism, epileptic fits, rupture, eczema, gall stones, appendicitis, stomach, liver and bowel trouble, milk leg or any open sore that people are afflicted with. I heal them all by the laying on of the hands during the new of the moon.

Philip Yackel.

Death of Cornelius Corcoran.

Cornelius Corcoran, mention of whom was made in last week's Tribune, died at Riverside hospital on Monday. Mr. Corcoran was brought to this city suffering from a bullet wound which he inflicted upon himself with suicidal intent, he having heard all such ailments as Goiter, rheumatism, epileptic fits, rupture, eczema, gall stones, appendicitis, stomach, liver and bowel trouble, milk leg or any open sore that people are afflicted with. I heal them all by the laying on of the hands during the new of the moon.

The wound produced paralysis of the right side and of different organs of the body, and it was evident to the attending physician that he must succumb in time.

The remains were shipped this morning to Bancroft, internment being in the town of Almond. C. S. Webster, a neighbor of the deceased came to this city and accompanied the remains to their last resting place.

Will Open Electric Theater.

Hadfield & Nelson have leased the Fontaine building on the west side and expect to open an electric theater therein in the near future. Electricians have been making the connections and the building has been cleaned out preparatory to placing the seats. Mr. Hadfield is from Wausau and has had considerable experience in the business, and Mr. Nelson has been connected with Wonderland for some time past.

Pea Cannery for Marshfield.

There is talk of establishing a pea cannery at Marshfield, parties from out of town having been there to look over the field. There is no question but what Marshfield has plenty of good land in its immediate vicinity for the raising of peas or any other product that they may wish to, and if the farmers can be interested in the matter the venture should be successful.

Pay Your Subscription.

You may have received a bill during the past few days stating that there is a dollar and a half due on your subscription. We do not wish to be hard on anybody, but when the bills are not paid the paper will have to be discontinued. The postal regulations do not allow us to send out papers to subscribers where the accounts are more than a year old, so govern yourself accordingly.

Helping the Needy Ones.

The Relief committee of the Federation have been looking up the needy families of the city and have about a dozen on their list whom they hope to furnish with a little more Christmas cheer than they would otherwise have.

—Smoke Red Circle cigars. 10c value for 5c.

SPECIAL SERVICES

The Several Churches in This City Will Celebrate the Annual Holiday Most Fittingly

Christmas cheer will not be wanting at the numerous churches in this city and the indications are that the little people of the various Sunday schools will be amply provided for. Special services have been prepared and at several of the edifices there will be a visit from Santa Claus himself.

Congregational Church.
The Bible school of the Congregational church will have a Christmas tree with appropriate exercises on Thursday evening beginning promptly at 7 o'clock. There will be a Christmas service in the church at the morning service next Sunday. Special music by the choir. Sermon by the pastor on the subject, "Two Kings." At 7:30 in the evening there will be a Christmas service in charge of the young people of the church. The orchestra will play and there will be several selections of vocal music. Subject of this service, "The Star of Bethlehem." The pastor will lead and other members of the society will take part. All are invited.

First Moravian Church.
At this church great preparations have been made for the doings on Christmas eve, when there will be several trees decorated in an appropriate manner, a program of the little folks consisting of vocal and instrumental music, readings, etc., to be followed by a distribution of gifts. The Christmas service will be given on Friday morning at the usual hour.

Methodist Church.
At the Methodist church there will be a Christmas party on Thursday evening which will be held in the church parlors, at which the members of the Sunday school will be entertained. There will also be an informal program and the young people of the church are looking forward to the event with considerable pleasurable anticipation.

On Christmas morning at 9 o'clock there will be a Christmas service held in the church, which will be public.

Scandinavian Moravian Church.
At the Scandinavian Moravian church there will be an entertainment for the young people on Christmas eve, with a program of music and readings appropriate to the occasion, and also the typical Moravian service, with the singing of the Morning Star and the distribution of candles.

There will be decorations of the Christmas tree variety and a distribution of presents.

On Christmas day there will be services in Scandinavian in the morning conducted by Rev. C. Madsen, as the regular pastor, Rev. H. B. Johnson, will be at Rudolph on that day to conduct services.

Episcopal Church.
There will be a Christmas tree and appropriate services at the Episcopal church on Christmas eve, with music and a distribution of presents.

There will be midnight mass on Christmas morning with Evensong at 5 o'clock p. m.

Baptist Church.
On Christmas night there will be a tree with decorations and a short program for the young people, and the usual distribution of presents.

St. Paul Lutheran Church.
At the west side Lutheran church there will be a program on Thursday evening in which the young people will take part, consisting of music and readings. There will also be a Christmas tree and a distribution of presents.

On Christmas morning there will be a service at 10 o'clock for the church members and others who may wish to attend.

SS. Peter and Paul Church.
Midnight mass will be celebrated at SS. Peter and Paul Catholic church with special music.

Paper and Molasses.
Another good thing seems to be headed in the direction of the farmer, and particularly in the direction of those who happen to be operating in the big corn belts. Dr. B. Galloway of the bureau of plant inquiry of the department of agriculture has reported to the house committee on agriculture that laboratory tests seemed to warrant the conclusion that pure paper stalks in competition with corn could be manufactured from wood pulp, adding that a commercial test soon would be made by a mill in the Maine. He explained that it would be largely to the production of a by product, a coarse quality of molasses, such as is imported and is feed to cattle and mules.

The laboratory tests indicated, he reported, that a ton of cornstalks would yield \$3 worth of molasses.

New Seats in Position.
At the show on Monday night the people of Grand Rapids had their first chance to see the opera house with the new seats, which had all been placed in position on the raised floor. To say that the place presented a handsome appearance is just drawing it mild. It can honestly be said that there is not a poor seat in the house, there being enough elevation to the chairs so that the stage is plainly visible from any part of the house. There is, certainly a great improvement over anything we have previously had here, and the people are to be congratulated on the change.

Odd Fellows Officers.
The I. O. O. F. elected the following officers at their last meeting: N. G. C. H. Wood; V. G., Otto Henschel; R. S., Henry Rablin; P. S., Gus Schuman; Trustee, H. J. Geise.

Struck by the Cars.

Ed Wheelan was struck by a locomotive on the Northwestern railway on Tuesday afternoon and had one rib broken and sustained a pretty bad bruise but there is every indication this morning that he will recover from his injuries without any serious consequences.

Mr. Wheelan had been out in the neighborhood of Kellier where he is interested in some land, and was walking along the railroad track when he noticed a train approaching from behind. He stepped from the track and thought he was clear of the passing train, but made a miscalculation, the result being that he was struck on the left side of the back, with the result above stated.

Mr. Wheelan was brought to this city and surgical aid summoned, and it was feared at first that he had received serious internal injuries, but the latest reports this morning are to the effect that he is getting along nicely and there is every indication of an early and complete recovery.

Band Concert Tuesday.

The second of the series of band concerts will be held at the opera house on Tuesday evening, Dec. 29, when the following program will be rendered:

March—Al Fresco... John W. Cassio
Overture—Zampa... Fred W. Clement
Fantasia—Missa's in the Cold Ground
Waltz Intermezzo—A Wooling... Geo. Rosy
Novellette—Lacoe and Graces... L. L. Bratton
Medley Overture—Thompson's Tune
ful Melodies... Harry Alford

SYNOPSIS.
Out in the Woolly West.—Poor Old Girl.—She's My Girl.—Will You Always Call Me Honey?—Common Sense.—I Wish I Had a Girl—When Vacation Days Are Over.

Intermission of 5 Minutes.
Overture—By the Juvenile Band

Intermission of 5 Minutes.
March—Entry of the Gladiators... J. Fackel

Waltz—The Skater... E. Waldfenfel
Saxophone Solo—Evening Star from Tannhauser... R. Wagner
Saxophone Quartet—In the Gloaming March—The Bandleader... A. C. Sweet

An Uphill Job.

The well informed fairly intelligent person can hardly appreciate the uphill fight that faces the men of the country who are making an effort to stamp out tuberculosis. Last week at Stevens Point a demonstration was given by killing a number of cattle that were affected with the disease. The evidence of the disease was present in all of the cattle, and it was a public demonstration, and the spectators were shown and explained the facts concerning tuberculosis cattle, and how the disease could be contracted by human beings, and in spite of this there were a number of people present who wanted to carry the meat home with them, and thought to bury the stuff. This only demonstrates how little attention the general run of people pay to expert advice along the lines of health, and what a slow process it is to educate the public.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Ladies. Gostomsky, Miss Gertrude; 2; Lazard, Mrs. Gilbert, card; Leo, Miss Margaretta; Lehmann, Miss Olga, card; Latze, Miss Clara; Phillips, Mrs. Gortrud; Quadee, Mrs. E. card; Tyndalle, Miss Alice; Wilekaki, Miss K. card.
Gentlemen. Anderson, Jewell, card; Beate, Aug.; Clace, Geo., 2; Danomoro, M. A. Gutowski, Albin, foreign; Haik, James, card; Kurth, Robert; Lindler, Harry; Mathews, J. W.; McKusky, Chas., foreign; Moore, Clarence, card; Mowley, H. Elmer; Olson, Peter, 2; Snyder, James, card; Tasche, Conrad, card; Ylasky, Lucian, card; Zimmerman, Joe.

Not Much Interest Taken.

As the meeting held some time ago for the purpose of getting the sentiment of the stockholders of the Electric & Water Co. concerning the matter of making needed improvements to the plant did not bear fruit, it is probable that the matter will come up for discussion at the annual meeting of stockholders to be held in January. When the meeting was held last fall there was a majority of the stock represented and it was thought that considerable interest was being taken in the matter, but no meeting was held to hear the report of the committee on reorganization.

Woodmen of the World Elect Officers.

The following are the new officers of the Woodmen of the World elected at their last meeting: Council Commander, Otto Erdman; Adviser Lieutenant, G. C. Hayward; Officer, C. E. Kruger; Banker, J. W. Natwick; Escort, Herman Dahlke; Physicians, Dr. C. A. Boorman and F. X. Pomaiville; Watchman, Dwight Green; Sentry, C. A. Kluge; Manager for three years, Robt. Rowland.

Nash-Morgan.

Roy Nash, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Nash of this city, and Miss Nell Morgan of New York City were married at New York on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. Nash is a student at Yale college where he is taking course in forestry, and has many friends in this city who will unite with the Tribune in extending congratulations and wishing him a long and happy wedded life.

—The Head Waiters at Dally's theater Christmas night.

A CHANCE TO HELP

Red Cross Stamps Being Sold in This City to Help Fight Tuberculosis

Our citizens will now be given a chance to help the society that is making it a business to fight tuberculosis, and either stamp out the plague altogether or else stay its progress so that it will not stand out by itself as one of the greatest menaces to human life.

Following are some statistics and what it is hoped to accomplish by the sale of the Red Cross stamp:

100,000 die of tuberculosis in the United States every year while 700,000 are invalidated annually, by it.

Over 2,500 die annually of tuberculosis in Wisconsin.

It is safe to live with a tuberculosis person, if intelligent care and supervision are exercised.

It is a curable disease.

The Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Association wants to sell 2,000,000 Red Cross Stamps before Jan. 1st, 1909.

This means nearly \$20,000 for the campaign against tuberculosis.

It means 2,000,000 thoughts against the white plague.

If you are with us, then buy some stamps, put them on your Christmas packages.

Boost for the stamps and help stamp out the "White Plague."

No person, be he rich or poor, need feel called upon to do the whole thing, but every person should do a little something toward the good work.

While the methods of treating tuberculosis have been known for some time, it is only during the last few years that any concerted action has been taken toward fighting the dread disease. The public in general is commencing to sit up and take notice, and there is every indication that there will be a united effort from now on that will accomplish great results.

The stamps are sold at the Wood County and the John Daly drug stores by Miss Helen Kromer, and Mesdames W. J. Conway and Earle Pense.

Was Well Played.

"The Devil," produced at the opera house on Monday night was well played in every respect and it is seldom that our people have had the chance to witness such a thriller. The play from start to finish held the attention of the audience and the characters were taken in a most realistic manner.

However, we can see little excuse for keeping such a play before the people. If there is a moral, it is not produced until the audience are engaged in putting on their wraps, while the entire plot of the play is so constructed as to bring out and make public all that is bad in the minds of those taking part in the play.

Tax Time Here.

Next Monday, December 28th, the tax roll will be turned over to the city treasurer for collection. The rate this year is 21.23 on \$1,000 valuation, which is not much different from what it was last year. The whole tax to be raised is \$90,022.73. Treasurer Sam Church will have his office in the city hall until January 31st, office hours from 9 till 12, and from 1 till 4. After that time those who want to pay their taxes will have to go to the drug store. Three percent extra will be charged after the 31st of January.

Will Visit His Old Home

Joseph Prockpitz left last week for New York and on Saturday he sailed for Austria, the place of his birth, where he expects to spend the winter visiting with relatives and friends.

Take Notice!

Be sure and come to the Congregational church Monday evening, Dec. 28 at eight o'clock. There will be readings by Miss Nellie Vincent, a former Grand Rapids girl who has for some time been studying education in Chicago; and under, violin, vocal and instrumental, include 25 cents for sale at Otto's and Dally's drug stores.

—Don't buy anything in the jewelry line for Christmas until you have consulted Dally.

Otto's
Pharmacy

Extends to its many patrons the compliments of the season, and takes this means of thanking them for their liberal patronage the past year and especially for their Christmas patronage. Hoping that the coming year will have something good in store for each of you, we remain

Yours to please

OTTO'S PHARMACY,
The Home of the
Rexall Remedies.OPERA HOUSE -:- XMAS NIGHT
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25th

The Crandall Amusement Company Presents
Ward & Vohe's Musical Comedy Success
"THE HEAD WAITERS"



A CLEAN, CLEVER GIRL SHOW
PRICES 25c-35c-50c SEAT SALE AT DALY'S DRUG STORE

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One Year.....\$1.50
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Advertising Rates.—For display matter a flat rate of 10 cents an inch is charged. The columns in a Tribune are 24 inches long, making a one column advertisement cost \$2.40 for one insertion. All local notices of deaths, marriages, divorces, and all notices of entertainments where an admission fee is charged will be published at 5 cents per line.

A Merry Christmas.

The Tribune extends to its many readers the wish that they may have a Merry Christmas. While the past year may not have been one of as much plenty as some that have gone before, nevertheless, most people have gotten through without real want. It is not generally the man or woman with the most money who has the most Christmas anyway, although there is no time of the year when the supply of the root of all evil seems to be more desirable. Still when one looks back over his life and makes a note of the bright spots, of the times when something made him especially happy, he will generally find that they were brought about by some little thing that probably did not represent a very great money value. It was undoubtedly a person well alone in years who made the statement that it is more blessed to give than to receive. As one reaches the centenary life he realizes that the greater part of pleasure lies in trying to make others happy, and not altogether in trying to be happy himself. If a man can make those about him happy, the chances are that he will be happy himself. So we tell our readers. Try to make others happy and you will receive your share of the joy and remember the day is one to be looked forward to with pleasant anticipations.

Withdraws Phosphate Fertilizer Lands.

The announcement from Washington that, acting under instructions from President Roosevelt, the secretary of the interior has just withdrawn from entry, subletion, or location, all public lands in Wyoming, Idaho, and Utah believed to contain phosphate rock, pending appropriate action by congress, has been received here with interest, as this was the step urged by President Van Hise of the University of Wisconsin at the recent meeting of the national conservation commission at Washington.

"The withdrawal of these valuable phosphate lands as the first step toward the conservation of the natural phosphates and the retention of them for use in our own country is more than sufficient to justify fully the whole conservation movement," said President Van Hise in speaking of President Roosevelt's action today. "The general and alarming decrease in crop yields here in various states, recently so well described by Mr. James J. Hill, is due largely to the depletion of soil in phosphorus. Even the soils of the rich central states, the garden of the United States, are deficient in this important element. In Wisconsin the experiment station investigations showed that, during the past half century, one-third of the original phosphorus of the soil has been lost in the cropped fields. What has been proved in Wisconsin, Ohio, Iowa, and other states where tests have been made, is unquestionably true of other states in the country which have been settled for some time. In what condition will the soil of the United States be as to phosphorus content fifty years hence, if this process of depletion be allowed to continue unchecked?"

Stallion Owners Must Renew Licenses.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 1.—In a notice to stallion owners of the state, now being distributed, Dr. A. S. Alexander who has charge of the department of horse breeding of the college of agriculture at the University of Wisconsin calls attention to the provisions of the law relative to the renewal of licenses. The notice states:—

The amended stallion service law of Wisconsin, approved June 20, 1907, requires that all stallion licenses shall be renewed every two years. Therefore all licenses issued during 1907 must be renewed immediately after Jan. 1, 1909, to make them good for the seasons of 1909 and 1910. The fee for a renewal is \$1, upon receipt of which, accompanied by the original license certificate, the department of horse breeding will make out the renewal certificate, and return both certificates to the owner. Where a stallion has changed hands, the transfer of ownership must be recorded by the department upon the back of the original license certificate. The fee for a transfer is \$5. In case a license certificate has been lost or destroyed, a duplicate certificate will be supplied on receipt of \$5 and an affidavit stating the facts of the case.

Good Cough Medicine for Children.—Coughs and colds are now at hand and too much care cannot be used to protect the children. A child is much more likely to contract diphtheria or scarlet fever when he has a cold. The quicker you cure his cold the less the risk. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the sole reliance of many mothers, and few of those who have tried it are willing to use any other. Mrs. F. F. Starcher, of Ripley, W. Va., says: "I have never used anything other than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for my children, and it has always given good satisfaction." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a child as an adult. For sale by Daly Drug & Jewelry Co.

We have a complete new line of goods—just the thing for baby's. Come in and see them. Walter & Son.

A Note of Discord.

Milwaukee Daily News.—In his report to congress, Secretary Cortelyou strikes a note that does not harmonize with the prodigality of the administration of which he is a member. He suggests that the need for economy, a word unknown to the Roosevelt vocabulary. Reverting the growth of expenditures Mr. Cortelyou says that "if interest on the public debt is excluded the growth in ordinary expenditures for carrying on the government, including payments for pensions and many public works, was from \$185,000,000 in 1878 to \$638,000,000 in 1908, or an increase in a generation of nearly 4 per cent." And he suggests that "this time may come when a session of the congress will be given over largely to the consideration of ways and means to reduce the operating expenses of the government; and if it does come we shall see a saving of many millions of dollars, with no sacrifice of efficiency of administration."

In face of the spectacle of President Roosevelt and President-elect Taft urging the issuing of bonds with which to meet the expenses of the government, we should say that the time now is at hand when congress should give itself over largely to the consideration of ways and means to reduce the operating expenses of the government. If a saving of millions may be made without a sacrifice of efficiency, the sooner it shall be made the better.

The Retired Farmer.

There is a luncheon of hard sense in the following letter of a retired farmer to Wallace's Farmer: "The curse of this country is that just as soon as a man gets so that he is able to farm to good advantage he keeps up his farm and bountifully the country as it should be, instead of squandering his money on the farm as he should, he brings it to town, buys a home in town and thinks he will be perfectly happy. He has been cherishing this idea for perhaps twenty years. The people used to be glad to see him when he came to town, were glad to get his business when he was in the swim. When he has moved to town it dawns on him that he is no longer in the swim, that he is simply a retired farmer, living in town on we'll save, on a thousand dollars a year rent for a half section of land which is good rent for a big farm. His neighbor is probably getting a salary of twenty-five hundred. He is supposed to be wealthy and his neighbor poor. He has been educated to save a little money, and he is trying to save a little more. His neighbor, who works on salary probably, never has saved any and does not want to. He sits around town, broods over it, thinks at every enterprise that comes up in town because he cannot afford to go into it and is no satisfaction to himself or anyone else.

"When he is not, or thinks he is not, able to do this any more, he should build him a modern home on the farm and let the renter take the old one. Then he can get an automobile to go to town in, if he pleases, or keep a good team and carriage. That would cost him only about 40 per cent of what it does to go to town to live. It would be the making of our country; and the retired farmer would live longer and be a whole lot happier. It certainly would add 25 per cent to the price of land in this country if the farmer would retire in this way, fix up his place and get it into the road, give him something to keep him interested and satisfied. I left the farm at 22 years old; have always owned a farm, and until the last two years have always hired a man to say to that, even if I were worth a million, I would enjoy building me a good home on the farm. I would prefer living there, where you can read, rest and enjoy nature as a man should, to living in town."

Beware of Frequent Colds.—A succession of colds or a protracted cold is almost certain to end in chronic catarrh, from which few persons ever really recover. Give every cold the attention it deserves and you may avoid this disagreeable disease. How can you cure a cold? Why not try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy? It is highly recommended. Mrs. M. White, of Butler, Tenn., says: "Several years ago I was bothered with my throat and lungs. Someone told me of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I began using it and it relieved me at once. Now my throat and lungs are sound and well." For sale by Daly Drug & Jewelry Co.

ARMENIA

Miss Petra Myrold came home from Milwaukee last week. The J. D. Harring family have moved into their new residence at Nekosota. The neighbors very much regret to see them go. Nearly all the children in this vicinity have the whooping cough. The auction sale at the J. D. Harring farm last Saturday was not very well attended on account of the stormy day. The Adelphi Sobary family of Neodah have moved into the Harring farm.

R. O. Stirling was a Grand Rapids shopper last Saturday. Miss Helen Fellows of Nekosota visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Hubert Lewis the first of the week.

Miss Stripo of Vanhook is a guest at the O. L. Bingham home. The dance at the Bingham home Saturday evening was well attended and all report a good time.

The V. Lind family spent Sunday at Engwala's.

Miss Mary Murphy departed for her home at Elroy Friday for a two weeks Christmas vacation.

Cutters, Cutters.

—Edward Paul has just received a carload of flap cutters which he will sell at very reasonable prices. If you are in need of anything in this line don't fail to get my prices. Also have some very good bargains in second hand cutters. —Ed. Paul.

PORT EDWARDS.

The school closed Friday with a fine program. Many of our ladies and also a few of the gentlemen went over to attend and all were well pleased with the drills being exceptionally fine, while the dialogues, recitations and solos were pronounced very good.

Misses Ada Ament, Mattie Johnson and Harry Doye attended the program at the poor farm school Monday evening, where Miss Edna Doye teaches. They pronounced the program a good one.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Dodge were Grand Rapids visitors Friday evening.

Geo. F. Steele made a business trip to Chicago Saturday.

Miss Mildred Allie left Thursday for Iron to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Allie. While out hunting a few days ago Mr. Shanahan killed a wolf.

Midnight mass will be celebrated in the church Christmas.

School closed Friday until after the holidays. The entertainment given was well attended and was a grand success.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Garrison made a business trip to Chicago last week.

Mr. Alexander went to Milwaukee to spend Sunday with his family.

The paper mill will shut down Thursday giving the men a chance to rest a few days and celebrate Christmas.

Miss May Timlin attended a costume party at the Lincoln school Friday evening.

The North Western depot agent will be here and ready to do business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ardu of Junction City have moved into their new home near the North Western depot.

Mrs. N. Christman shipped her household goods to Wiscow this week where Mr. Christman is employed. Mrs. Christman expects to join her husband on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Nash were in your city Saturday.

Misses Vaidah McPherson and Pearl Williams are the proud possessors of fine new pianos.

Mrs. E. Burrows of your city is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. Preston.

Little Maurine Eichstede has been on the sick list the past week.

Misses Edith Johnson and Anna LaVigne of your city have been teaching in our primary department the past week during the absence of Miss Edith Burd who has been quite sick at her home in your city. Misses Johnson and LaVigne are young ladies from the training school.

Charles Chaudler left Thursday evening for Onondaga, Wis. Florida, for an extended visit with his father and brothers who live there.

—Out glass at 4 p.m.

A Personal Appeal.

If we could talk to you personally about the great merit of Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung trouble, you never could be induced to experiment with unknown preparations that may contain some harmful drugs. Foley's Honey and Tar costs you no more and has a record of forty years of cures. John E. Daly and Johnson & Hill Co.

BIRON.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gaffney had their baby boy christened last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William DeMars have been visited by Santa Claus rather early this year. He left at their home a pair of twin boys.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beck were shopping in your city Saturday.

Miss Mattie Orotton of Randolph has been drowsy at the A. L. Akoy home the past week.

Little Clifford Orotton was very sick a few days last week.

Mrs. John Johnson was seriously ill last week but is somewhat better now.

Mrs. Horace Weaver was on the sick list last week.

Misses Rosie, Libbie and Anna McGregor and Effie Bates and the Messrs. Clarence and David Shuckey and George Bates of Randolph were Sunday guests of friends and relatives in this burr.

NEKOOSA.

(From the Times.)

Mrs. Henry Zirlbe passed away at her home last night at 12:40 of arip complicated with pneumonia, after an illness of only about six days. Deceased was born in Germany 55 years ago. The family has lived in this part of the country for many years and are well known in this village and throughout this part of Wood county where they are held in high esteem by all. She leaves a widow and nine children; four sons and five daughters.

The home talent minstrel show given for the benefit of the baseball fund drew a crowded house last Tuesday evening and all who attended are loud in their praise of the entertainment which certainly merited the generous patronage of the people and in turn the performers gave the people their money's worth of amusement.

A postal card from R. C. Scheibe states that he was on board the west bound Northern Pacific train which was wrecked last Thursday night at McKean, twenty miles east of Bismarck, North Dakota. He says he got out of it lucky but received a severe shaking up.

W. H. Thompson of Menasha arrived last Tuesday and is now employed here. Mr. Thompson has been signed as third baseman in the Nekosota baseball team. He played last season in the Northern league and thoroughly understands the game.

Quality of Counterfeiting.—Passing counterfeit money is no worse than substituting some unknown worthless remedy for Foley's Honey and Tar, the great cough and cold remedy that cures the most obstinate coughs and heals the lungs. John E. Daly and Johnson & Hill Co.

Lady Wanted.

Honest, industrious woman wanted to introduce our large line of fancy and staple dress goods, waists, trimmings, etc., among friends, neighbors and townspeople. We also manufacture a full line of perfumes and toilet articles, no soap. Should be able to earn \$20, or more weekly. Dealing direct from the mills our prices are low and patterns exclusive. No money required, write us for full particulars. Standard Dress Goods Co., Dept. 9, Binghamton, N. Y.

10 CENTS TO STOP THAT ITCH.

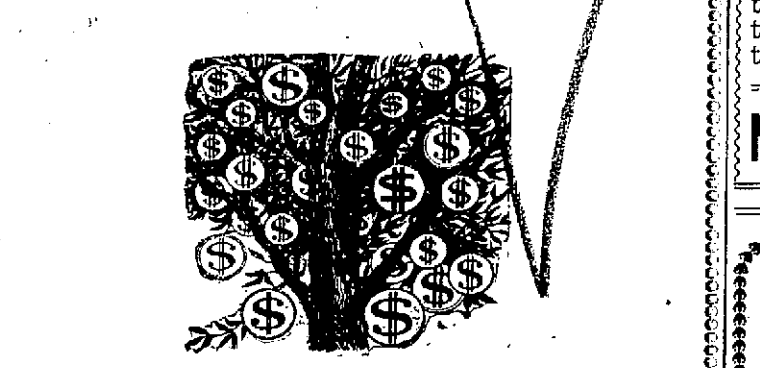
How Easy to Get Relief—Instant Relief—from Skin Disease.

—Is it worth 10 cents to you to stop that awful, awful agonizing itch? If you are afflicted with skin disease, the kind that seems to baffles medical treatment, and leaves you wild with itch, we hope you will not fail to investigate a prescription which is now recommended by many of the best skin specialists, even in preference to their own prescriptions. It is the simple soothing oil of watergreen compound known as D. D. D. Prescription. A 10 cent trial bottle must accompany you that the itch instantly allayed by this prescription. Get a liberal trial bottle of the healing, soothing, external remedy, D. D. D. Prescription—and see!

We feel quite sure that before long you will be cured, and at any rate we know—KNOW POSITIVELY—that your itch will be allayed instantly, the minute that soothing liquid is applied to the skin.

Write direct to D. D. D. Co., 112 Michigan St., Chicago, enclosing 10 cents for the trial bottle. J. E. Daly.

DOLLARS Don't Grow on Trees

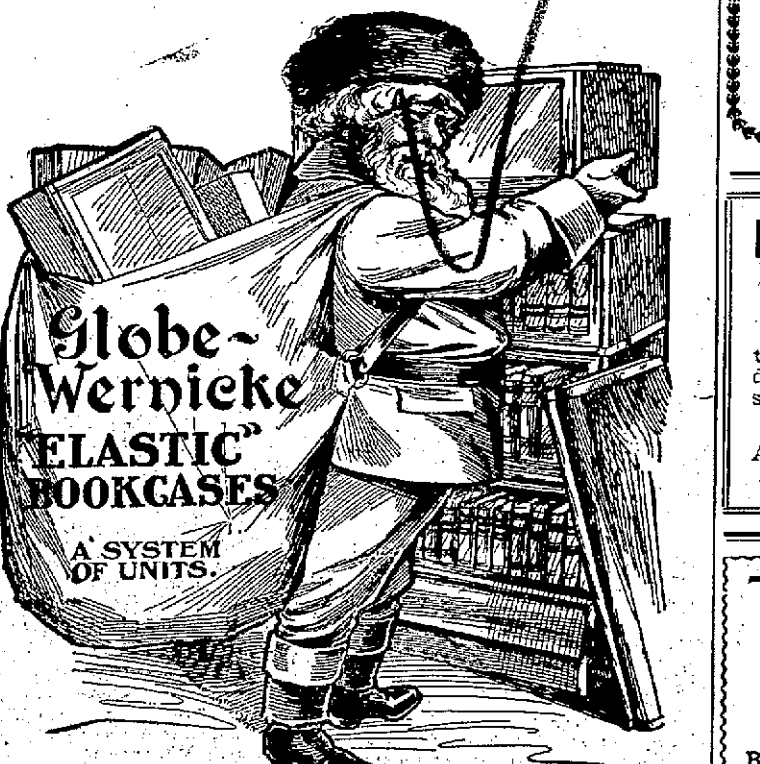


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Nickle Plated Ware, Perculators, Bread Raisers, Skates, Guns Sleds and Wagons, Knives, Razors, Etc., Etc.

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Just the thing for father, mother, brother, sister, relative or friend—something that fits any library or any purse. The Globe-Wernicke "Elastic" Bookcase encourages good reading and the collecting of good books. It's the corner stone of a good library and a higher education. The original and only perfect sectional bookcase made and sold at the lowest price. Call and examine our stock now while the assortment is complete.

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Good 6 room house with pantry, bath room three closets, hardwood floors, good wood shed, water and sewers, lots, close to all factories and schools. A cheap home and a bargain at \$1,200.00.

Do you want money? If you have good real estate security I will loan you money in any amount at reasonable rates and time to suit you.

Abstracts of Title Furnished promptly to any real estate in Wood

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All classes of domesticated animals treated; surgery, dentistry and lameness a specialty.

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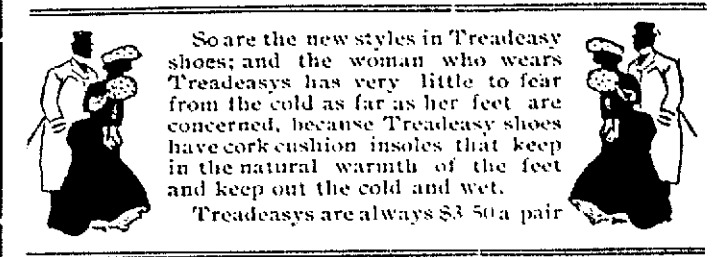
Croup

When a child wakes up in the middle of the night with a severe attack of croup as frequently happens, no time should be lost in experimenting with remedies of a doubtful value. Prompt action is often necessary to save life.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

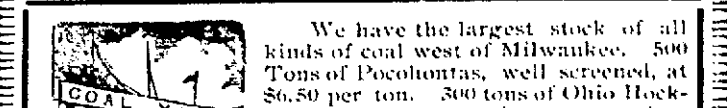
has never been known to fail in any case and it has been in use for over one-third of a century. There is no better. It can be depended upon. Why experiment? It is pleasant to take and contains no harmful drugs. Price, 5 cents; large size, 10 cents.

- Jack Frost is Here -



Sold by I. Zimmerman

So are the new styles in Treadeas shoes; and the woman who wears Treadeas has very little to fear from the cold as far as her feet are concerned, because Treadeas shoes have cork cushion insoles that keep in the natural warmth of the feet and keep out the cold and wet. Treadeas are always \$3.50 a pair



We have the largest stock of all kinds of coal west of Milwaukee. 500 Tons of Pocahontas, well screened, at \$6.50 per ton. 300 tons of Ohio Hocking, fresh from the mine, better than dock coal, at \$5.50 per ton. Splint and Black Band at \$6.00, and all sizes of hard coal.

We have 300 cord of fine 4 foot maple. Anyone wishing to buy by the car, call at our office, or call phone 416 for prices

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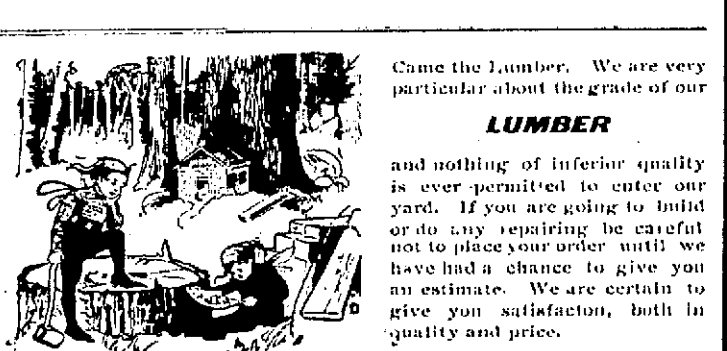
Condensed Report WOOD CO. NATIONAL BANK

Grand Rapids, Wisconsin

As made to the Comptroller of the Currency Nov. 27, 1908

| RESOURCES | | We have a Fully Equipped Savings Department | |
|----------------------------|--------------|---|--|
| Loans and Discounts..... | \$731,981.74 | | |
| U. S. and other Bonds..... | 71,900.00 | | |
| Banking Houses..... | 36,228.00 | | |
| Other Real Estate..... | 2,591.58 | | |
| Cash and Balances..... | 130,855.99 | | |
| | \$973,562.31 | | |
| LIABILITIES | | | |
| Capital..... | \$100,000.00 | | |
| Surplus..... | 90,000.00 | | |
| Undivided Profits..... | 13,977.84 | | |
| Circulation..... | \$4,000.00 | | |
| Deposits..... | 719,581.77 | | |
| | \$973,562.31 | | |

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and nothing of inferior quality is ever permitted to enter our yard. If you are going to build or do any repairing be careful not to place your order until we have had a chance to give you an estimate. We are certain to give you satisfaction, both in quality and price.

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A Grand Rapids man was told by his wife to order coal of Kellner, which he did, but she said that all night in his sleep he kept saying, "Give me another load of coal." She says she never saw anything in his mind like Kellner's coal.

Try Our Soot Chaser Kellner Coal Co.

COAL

Exclusive Fur House

I have just opened in the Bogger Building, opposite the Wood County National Bank, an exclusive fur house, and will keep a stock for retail FUR COATS, ROBES, GLOVES, MITTENS, and LADIES' FURS; also all kinds of trimmings for ladies' furs. REPAIRING—I am an expert repairer of fur garments of every description, and solicit your work in this line. I manufacture my own goods and guarantee satisfaction.

Hides & furs tanned for coats & robes. Will Buy Raw Furs

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THIS BANK encourages saving by making it easy to start an account. If you are one of the men who want to save a little at a time you can start an account here with \$1.00. Right here we want to impress upon you the fact that we welcome the small depositor the same as the large one and give each and everyone the same consideration. Start to-day.

BANK OF GRAND RAPIDS

..WEST SIDE..

LOCAL ITEMS.

E. J. Whitney is visiting her mother in Chicago during the holidays.

Smoke Red Circle cigars. 10c for 50.

Only will fix you out with Christmas presents and save you money.

George Grignon of Manitowish, who was in the city on Monday.

Member of Minn. N. D. arrived in the city last week to spend Christmas with his folks.

Kathie Ascher left on Friday morning to spend the holidays at her relatives and friends.

Dry hardware for sale. Leave with the Mail Shop company telephone 434. Archie Matz, Jr.

Johnnie Bach left on Friday morning to spend the holidays at her relatives and friends.

Andrew Winger of Randolph, a pleasant caller at this office on Friday while in the city shopping.

H. W. Backer's Cough Remedy, the best medicine on earth. Notwithstanding all druggists.

E. L. Baumgartner left on Friday morning to spend the holidays with his family in the city.

John Hayes of the Vesper Malleable company was in the city on Saturday attending to some business.

John Zimmerman, one of the farmers of Randolph, was among callers at the Tribune office on Friday.

Manus is to be the home of a new life insurance company. The total stock of the new company is \$10,000.

Mr. J. S. Thompson and son Ted, at several days in Milwaukee the week visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Ellen Dougherty, teacher in public school, departed on Saturday for her home in Berlin to spend the holidays.

The most complete line of china, cut glass, Haviland tea sets, glassware, lamps and fancy china to select from at Grand Rapids Tea & Coffee Co.

Among those who took prizes at the Marshfield Poultry show were Dr. P. Norton and Arthur Putnam, of this city.

Dr. A. L. Ridgman and son Chester, at several days the past week at home where they were visiting with Frank Willard.

J. Herbert Snider came up from Oshkosh on Friday to spend the Christmas vacation with relatives in this city and vicinity.

Joseph Corvian of Hamilton, Ill., is visiting his parents and relatives and friends in this city until after Christmas when he will leave for New York to attend a convention of coffee salesmen.

Smoke Red Circle cigars. 10c for 50.

Herman Hackbath of the town of Sigel was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schwede left on Saturday for Forestville where they will visit their relatives for a couple of weeks.

Walter Olson, who is attending Marquette medical college at Milwaukee, arrived home on Saturday to spend the holidays.

Robt. Nash will leave on Saturday for Moline, Ill., where he will spend several days on business for the Continental Hardware Co.

John Lindner returned on Sunday from St. Louis where he has been the past five weeks, being called home by the illness of his sister.

Dr. and Mrs. Jacob Seiborch of Hazelhurst are expected to arrive in the city tomorrow to visit with Mrs. Geo. E. Haskinson until after New Year's.

V. D. Simons, who has been confined to his home during the past two weeks, is still unable to get out, his condition remaining about the same.

Dan Reichel, who is attending the manual school at Plattville, arrived home on Friday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Reichel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Armstrong of Neenah arrived in the city on Saturday for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Waberman during the holidays.

Will Dabrich departed last week for Seattle, Washington, where he will spend the winter. He has rented his food store to Mr. Topping during his absence.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Rowland of this city and Paul Margatroy of Vesper, which occurs on Thursday, Dec. 18, 1908.

—Let us go skating, the ice is fine.

Mrs. S. N. Whipple of Oronoco was in the city on Monday, being on her way to Fargo, N. D., where she was going to visit her son, Charles, over the holidays.

Joe Pith of Oronoco, secretary of the Wisconsin State Cranberry Growers' Association, was in the city on Friday to attend a meeting of the Cranberry Sales Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Boyarski are mourning the death of their nine months old child, which occurred on Saturday. The remains were interred on Monday at Calvary cemetery.

—The latest and finest line of Morris chairs and Morris rockers just arrived. Call and look them over. Geo. W. Babin, Son.

—3000 cords of growing, green, hard maple and wood; 100,000 feet of hemlock, spruce and hard wood; saw logs; and considerable mixed hard wood suitable for cord wood; also 100 acres of good city soil all for \$80,000.00. Write to Geo. W. Babin, Son, for more particulars. See W. B. Wheeler.

—A box of good cigars always makes a merry Christmas. Wood County Drug Co.

Miss Mabelle Rowland, who has been teaching during the past fall at Loyal, is home to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Rowland.

Will Hayes, brakeman on the St. Paul Ry., has been confined to his home the past two weeks with a sprained ankle which was caused by jumping from a box car while on duty.

The old iron that occupied the site of the Pioneer pulp mill has been broken up and shipped away. It was necessary to use dynamite to break some of the larger pieces.

Mrs. J. H. Linderman left on Monday for Sheboygan where she will visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Nimitz during the holidays. Mr. Linderman expects to spend Christmas at Sheboygan also.

J. B. Call of Green Bay has been appointed general freight and passenger agent of the Green Bay & Western railroad and its three auxiliary lines. He takes the office left vacant by the death of W. C. Modest.

Tony Taylor of the town of Randolph returned home from Salem, Oregon on Friday where he has been spending the past year. Mr. Taylor likes the country out there very much and expects to return in the spring.

H. P. Corvian, secretary of the Waubesa Paper Co., of Sartell, Minn., arrived in the city on Monday, expecting to remain here until after Christmas visiting his relatives and friends.

E. E. Amos of Marshfield was in the city on Thursday looking after some business matters. Mr. Amos expects to move here with his family right after Christmas and will take charge of the office of registrar of deeds on January 1st.

Olaf Olson of Rock Island arrived in the city on Monday and will be employed by the Anderson Carriage company, he being a first class carriage painter. Mr. Olson is a married man and expects to move his family here in the near future.

John Till of Alameda, the "plaster on the back" specialist, has been ordered to pay \$25,000 damages by a Milwaukee man. The Milwaukee man claims Till "beat" him for paralytic and that in consequence of such treatment he suffered blood poisoning, affecting his sight and hearing.

Herman Hoiser of the town of Sigel was a pleasant caller at the Tribune office on Monday. Mr. Hoiser met his daughter, Miss Edith Hoiser, who has been teaching at Iowa, who has been home to spend the Christmas holidays. Another daughter, Miss Francis, who is engaged in bookkeeping at Redburg, is expected home to spend a week.

Will Maehia, who has been employed in the Leader office in this city for some time past, has accepted the management of a job office at Manitowish, and will take charge of his new situation the first of the year. Mr. Maehia will leave on Thursday for Algou, where he will visit his family for a few days before going to Manitowish.

A sufficient quantity of snow fell last week to make good sleighing in this vicinity, and the consequence is that wheels have been changed to runners and all kinds of hauling has been going forward at a good rate.

Parsons report the roads pretty generally good throughout the country, with an occasional bare spot where the wind blew the snow off.

The Catholic Order of Foresters have arranged for a series of debates during the coming winter, which is expected to be both instructive and interesting. The first subject that will be debated will be "Resolved, That the Election of United States Senators Should be by Popular Vote," which will probably occur some time in January.

John Harrison of Comfrey, Minn., who is visiting with relatives in New Rome, was in the city several days the latter part of last week visiting his friends. Mr. Harrison had just returned from Fond du Lac where he visited with his, old commander, Gen. Bragg of the Iron Brigade. He reports a most enjoyable visit at the Bragg home.

The Northern Paper Company's offices are being moved to Port Edwards this week where they will occupy quarters in the same building with the Nekoosa-Edwards company. W. B. Nash, manager of the company will live at Port Edwards, while A. J. Freund, bookkeeper for the company, will probably continue to live in this city for the present.

Reports are to the effect that the telephone is now being used to operate more than 6000 miles of railroad in the United States, and it seems to be a source of surprise to some people, especially the railroad men themselves, that the telephone can be used for this purpose. The wonder to other people is that it did not come into use years ago, as it would seem as if the telephone had many advantages with few of the defects.

You frequently hear folks say they wish they were millionaires. But our idea of happiness is the one that owns forty acres of land in the hills, doesn't owe a cent, has a wife and seven children, five good rabbits, a sorrel team of mules, a good shot gun, forty-seven miles of fish, and right on a good stream of fish. If that would not be happiness "un-allowed," we would like to know where you would go to find it. —E.C.

Grand Rapids Tea & Coffee Co., headquarters for all holiday goods.

More people are taking Foley's Kidney Remedy every year. It is considered to be the most effective remedy for kidney and bladder troubles that medical science can devise. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities, builds up worn out tissues and restores lost vitality. It will make you feel well and look well. John E. Daly and Johnson & Hill Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Z. Arpin and family of Atlanta arrived in the city on Friday and are guests of their relatives in this city.

Mrs. P. E. Hays of Oconomowoc arrived in the city on Monday to visit with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Starr, until after the holidays.

Mrs. Otto Roenius and Mrs. Oscar Uehling left on Tuesday for Watertown where they will visit with their people over Christmas.

Geo. F. Krieger departed last night for Chicago where he has been spending the holidays with his family and attend to some business matters.

—Fine perfumes make the present out. Wood County Drug Co.

Monday and Tuesday were the shortest days of the year, and while they will not be noticeably longer for several weeks yet, it is always a pleasure to know that we have turned the corner and that Old Sol is again on his northward journey.

R. M. Hill of St. Charles, Minn., spent several days in the city last week, having been called here by the death of his brother Uriah Hill. Mr. Hill formerly lived here, but left some thirty-two years ago, but has since made occasional visits here.

—Lamps, cut glass, Haviland china, German china, fancy boxes, cigar jars, novelties at prices that will surprise you at the Grand Rapids Tea & Coffee Co.

The Elks held an initiation on Tuesday evening, three members having been admitted to the order on that evening. They are Warren Fishburn, Art. Porterville and Arthur Groves, the latter being from Neenah. After the initiation refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening was had.

Scandinavian Moravian Church.

The Sunday school will render its Christmas program on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Christmas day services will be held at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. O. Madsen will preach in Scandinavian.

Next Sunday morning, services will be held in Scandinavian. In the evening services will be held in English. The pastor will preach a sermon suitable to the closing of the year.

On Friday morning at 10 o'clock the church at Randolph, addresses will be made in both English and Scandinavian.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Wood County Court—in Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles G. Schreiner, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Mary F. Schreiner, administratrix of said estate, duly appointed, and the report of said administratrix, and after examining the same and finding the same to be correct, and the same being for the benefit of the estate, the court doth hereby order that the said administratrix be and she is authorized to receive and collect all the debts and claims due to the said estate, and to pay out of the same all the debts and claims against the said estate, and to execute all the necessary papers in and about the said estate, and to do all such other and lawful acts as may be required of her in and about the said estate, and to receive for her services as administratrix the sum of \$100.00, and to retain the same until she has received for her services as administratrix the sum of \$100.00, and to pay the same to the said Mary F. 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With apologies to the hen, why is a green hen?

Mrs. Langley in 50 years old—a fact shown only by the records.

With a three-year-old emperor China should have no fear of the sovereign talking too much.

Rockville, Conn., has the distinction of being the first town to arrest an alderman for disorderly conduct.

Some one has reported seeing a sea serpent off Newport, but maybe, after all, it was just the back bone of winter wiggling into place.

In Philadelphia, there, says a Chicago lady lecturer, woman was recently the superior of man. Is she arguing that something has happened since?

The amplified spelling board wants to know if "del." Of course that makes it easier to spell, but not any easier to get out of a spell of it.

A man in Chicago has been ordered by the court not to speak to his wife for two weeks or allow her to speak to him. Which one was the plaintiff?

The daughter of Lombroso is coming to this country to study our prisons. We may be thankful, after all, that the other filaments are not so thick.

All the world is ready to admire the taste of the man who fell in love with a young woman and married her because she thanked him when he gave her his seat and she turned and said "Thank you" and didn't sit down.

A Philadelphia man left his son-in-law 50 cents with which to buy a rope to hang himself. The beneficiary probably foregoes the benefit rather than comply with the conditions, but it is certainly a terrible tale to come from the City of Brotherly Love.

Prof. D. C. Jackson of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has been retained by the Massachusetts state engineering commission to make a report regarding the telephone situation with special reference to the practicability of a reduction in rates and a higher efficiency of service.

The official denial of the Abnott-Ridgeway engagement will shatter a romance in which two continents were deeply interested, and many will refuse to give up the hope that the path of true love may yet be smoothed for the royal lover and the beautiful American girl of his heart.

The recent refrigeration congress in Europe has reminded a student of history that Francis Bacon made the first experiments in the use of ice for the preservation of meat. The people of Newfoundland, who have been largely dependent on refrigerated meat, have shown their appreciation of Bacon's discovery by erecting a statue of him suitably inscribed.

A minister recently read a paper before a Congregational church conference in Boston in which he called attention to the fact that in the membership of 56 churches in that vicinity only one child to each church was born during the year. His conclusion was that Congregationalism was ceasing to propagate itself and that but a stock is dying out. President Roosevelt ought to look into this.

At the recent dedication in Utah of a tablet to Edmund Burke, Walter Reed spoke in behalf of the American people. Burke has become almost a national hero in America, and it was he who phrased most eloquently many principles that are part of our tradition. His "Speech on Conciliation" is a difficult piece for schoolboys, but it ought always to be a part of the prescribed reading of young America.

The Ohio-Allegheny coal trade, which persists to-day, is one of the greatest single movements of cargo in the world. From Pittsburgh to New Orleans is 2,000 miles. The coal is loaded in 1,000 barges in the Ohio river and towed down this distance by powerful steamboats at a cost of less than 75 cents a ton, against a railroad rate of about four dollars and fifty cents for 45 cents, against a rail rate of \$2.70.

The president of the University of Illinois has announced that dismissal will in future be the punishment of hazing, which he denounces as a violation of the right of individuality, provocative of public disorder, and in its nature vulgar, brutal, always demoralizing and sometimes dangerous. Hence, he says, the university cannot countenance or tolerate it. Such a stand in the opinion of the Indianapolis Star generally initiated, will soon and the practice.

A Chicago burglar broke into a hospital and took everything but the patients' temperatures, we presume.

Our referendum among the leading personalities of this country on the question, "What is your opinion of the great men of Europe and America?" has resulted as follows: Washington and Napoleon are the greatest. Caesar and Charles XII. of Sweden. Among the most disliked are Brutus, Cromwell and Darwin. Nihonayoshi Nihonjia (Tokyo).

Light has dawned in the minds of some managers of the Pennsylvania anthracite companies, and they are said to be planning to open schools in which operatives can be taught by experts how to meet the technical and foreseeable exigencies of their dangerous calling. Better late than never. An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.

In everything else, it is worth a pound of cure. The Boston Herald State supervision of obedience to law is necessary, but can be diminished in cost and severity by such action as is now contemplated.

It is said that millionaires have been awarded out of thousands on purchases of alleged "Old Masters." If a millionaire does not know an old master on sight, it seems a pity to disturb a condition where ignorance is bliss and it is folly to be wise. Millionaires in these days of trust-busters, wealth-probers and trailers of the "predatory rich" have so few pleasures, remarks the Baltimore American.

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PRESIDENT AGAIN DENOUNCES THE CANAL CHARGES.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE

Roosevelt Uses Strong Language Concerning New York World and Joseph Pulitzer—Wants Latter Prosecuted.

Washington.—President Roosevelt Tuesday afternoon sent to the senate a statement concerning the purchase of the Panama canal property by the United States, denouncing in strong language charges that there was any fraud in the acquisition by the United States of the canal property.

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HEARST'S PUBLISHER ACCUSED

S. S. CARVAHALO CHARGED WITH CRIMINAL LIBEL.

J. D. Rockefeller, Jr., Bases Complaint on Article Saying He Originated Peonage in Stockade.

New York.—On a charge of criminal libel, made by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., S. S. Carvahlo, president of the Star Company, publishers of William R. Hearst's New York American, was arrested Thursday and arraigned in police court before Magistrate Finn.

At the solicitation of Clarence J. Sherman, attorney for the Hearst publications, and without any objection being raised on the part of Assistant District Attorney Garvan, who had charge of the prosecution, Mr. Carvahlo was paroled to the custody of his lawyer until December 26, for examination.

Mr. Rockefeller, accompanied by his counsel, Lawyer Murphy, appeared in District Attorney Garvan's office early in the day and made complaint that the article published in the New York American of December 17, under the head line, "J. D. Rockefeller, Jr., Originated Peonage in Stockade," is libelous, tended to injure his good name, reputation and credit and to make him appear ridiculous.

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Bradford Merrill, treasurer of the Star Company, explained Thursday night that the article in which Mr. Rockefeller had taken offense had come from Chicago in the regular routine way, that it had not originated in New York, and that an investigation would be started at once. "If we find that we have wronged Mr. Rockefeller," said Mr. Merrill, "we will, of course, do everything in our power to atone for it."

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CARACAS STIRRED BY RIOTS

MOBS SWEEP THROUGH CITY, UNHINDERED BY POLICE.

Crowds Burn Statues and Pictures of President and Pillage Property of His Friends.

Caracas, Venezuela.—The people of Caracas arose against President Castro, infuriated mob, unhindered by the police, swept through the city, wrecking the property of his henchmen and his closest friends. The people rounded up all the statues and pictures of President Castro from the clubs and other semi-public buildings and burned them with rejoicing, and the people of Caracas are now in a state of anarchy.

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YOU CAN'T BEAT THE DUTCH.

TOBACCO COMBINE ILLEGAL.

Federal Circuit Court Decree Orders Trust to Dissolve.

New York.—Nine companies, with their subsidiaries, are named as constituting an illegal combination in the final decree, filed Tuesday in the United States circuit court, putting into effect the government's suit to dissolve the so-called tobacco trust.

The companies named are the American Tobacco Company, the American Cigar Company, the American Stogie Company, MacAndrew & Co., the Standard Tobacco Company, Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Company and the Conley Cigar Company. Each of the first five of these companies the court declares is in itself a combination in violation of law.

The order enjoins these companies from continuing as parties in the combination and restrains them from engaging in interstate or foreign trade until "reasonable competition" between them is restored. Appeals by both the government and the defendants will act as a temporary stay of the decree.

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KNOX TO BE PREMIER

ACCEPTS STATE PORTFOLIO IN MR. TAFT'S CABINET.

PRESIDENT-ELECT IS HAPPY

Invites Senator to Augusta to Advise Him—Wickersham Not Yet Selected for Attorney General.

Augusta, Ga.—William H. Taft, president-elect of the United States, Friday night announced the appointment of United States Senator Philander C. Knox of Pennsylvania as secretary of state in his cabinet.

The announcement followed the receipt by Mr. Taft of a telegram which came late in the afternoon conveying the information from Mr. Knox that he would accept the premiership of the Taft cabinet.

"I feel that I am to be congratulated in securing the services of Senator Knox in my cabinet," said Judge Taft in making the announcement. "In selecting a secretary of state I wanted first, a great lawyer, and second, a man who would fill the public eye, not only here but abroad as a man who stands out prominently as a great American."

Mr. Knox was a great attorney general; he was a prominent candidate for the presidency, and he is recognized in the senate and elsewhere as one of the great lawyers of that body.

Judge Taft also feels that from a political viewpoint the selection of Mr. Knox is most happy. He explained that there was often a feeling that the state of Pennsylvania, with its assured Republican majorities, was slighted in the matter of recognition in the high councils of the party. That this will not be the case in the next administration was indicated by the announcement by Mr. Taft that he should invite Senator Knox to come to Augusta that he might consult him freely with reference to filling other places in his cabinet.

Regarding the report that George W. Wickersham of New York would be attorney general in this cabinet, Mr. Taft said that he had not yet decided on anyone definitely for the attorney generalship.

Two New Records for Wright Remains Aloft Nearly Two Hours and Ascends 360 Feet.

Le Mans, France.—Wilbur Wright, the American aviator, on Friday, October 1, established a new world's record for heavier-than-air machines Friday while trying for the Michelin cup, remaining in the air 1 hour, 53 minutes and 59 seconds. The best previous record is 1 hour, 31 minutes and 55 seconds, made by Mr. Wright September 21.

Mr. Wright closed a triumphant day by achieving another record, flying to a height of 360 feet in a strong wind and winning the Sarthe Aero club's prize for height.

Kills Girl Who Rejects Him.

Brutal Murder by Young Man in Somerville, Mass.

Somerville, Mass.—Enraged because his former sweetheart, Miss Maud Hartley, had rejected him, James B. Harmon, the 18-year-old son of Police Sergeant James M. Harmon, shot and killed her on the street here Friday.

Miss Hartley was of the same age as her slayer, and was the daughter of Mrs. Agnes Hartley, a physician. When Miss Hartley fell, Harmon lifted the body and threw it on the steps of a nearby store with the remark: "There, I've finished her." He then fled, but half an hour later surrendered to the police.

Two Nebraska Banks Robbed.

Bandits, Dynamite Sales, Fight Citizens and Flee in Auto.

Gibson, Neb.—Six robbers, after dynamiting the safes of the Farmers' State bank of Keene, at Keene, 23 miles south of Gibson, and the Commercial bank of Gibson, engaged in a pitched battle here with a number of citizens early Friday and escaped in an automobile with \$5,000. One of the robbers is believed to have been wounded and to have been carried off by his comrades.

Stock Broker Kills Himself.

Joplin, Mo.—Standing before a mirror in the bathroom of his apartments here Friday, Col. H. B. Marchant, a prominent stock broker, sent a bullet through his brain. Marchant left a note to his sister ascribing ill health for his action.

Lad Killed in Boxing Bout.

Philadelphia.—James Curran, 18 years old, was killed in a boxing bout with Benjamin Barnett, 17 years of age, at the Broadway Athletic club Friday. Barnett was arrested.

Given Maximum Penalty for Fraud.

Harrisburg, Pa.—John H. Sanderson, contractor for the furnishing of the new state capitol, ex-Auditor General W. P. Snyder, ex-State Treasurer W. L. Mathews and ex-Superintendent of Public Buildings and Buildings James M. Shumaker, convicted of conspiracy to defraud the state in the cases growing out of the capitol scandal, were sentenced Friday to two years in the penitentiary, \$500 fine and costs, the maximum punishment allowed by law, and were released on \$100,000 bail on supersedeas.

THE YANKEE PRODIGAL SON.

Boy Leaves Home Penniless, Returns with Fatted Calf.

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CRANBERRY NOTES.

Sales Company Meeting.

On Friday last the directors of the Wisconsin Cranberry Sales company met at the cranberry sales in this city with their inspectors, and salesmen, A. H. Chaney, to adjust losses and settle accounts for the sales of this year.

The losses consisted mainly of cranberries with purchasers because the berries arrived at their destination in poor condition, or not up to grade. Most of such losses were charged back to the grower and packer of the fruit, some to the "pool" and some to the buyers. To be collected from the later. Not one dollar was lost on account of bad debts, and the adjustment made by the directors seemed entirely satisfactory to everyone.

The crop of this season was one of the smallest, if not the smallest known to Wisconsin growers, and the quality was poor. It will not exceed 1500 bbls. in all and will not to the growers about \$8.00 per bbl. The Eastern crop was large and of very fine quality.

The growers are well pleased with the work of their sales agent and their present co-operative method of distributing the crop. Their confidence in this method increases every year. They declare they will never return to the old individual method of selling.

Cranberries Firm, But Quiet.

Kranberry City, Dec. 10.—While the local cranberry market was quiet from this week, a rather quiet tone prevailed and the market could often have been noted as dull. The firm feeling was mostly the result of the small local stocks and the effect of the bullish advices from the growing districts. The market looked the vigor which prevailed for several weeks prior to Thanksgiving, which goes to show that high prices, helped by the moderate weather, have severely hurt the demand. The local dealers were only fair buyers, as were the country dealers.

Later in the week the easy tone resulted in lower prices on some varieties. Jerseys were quoted at \$13 a barrel, extra fine late Howes at \$14 and the same grade of Bull Hugel at \$14.50.

Cranberries Sell High.

Pittsburg, Dec. 10.—Cranberries sold very well this week at the national range of prices. Although the retailers kicked a good deal at the high prices the local dealers stated they could not make any concessions on account of the difficulty to secure supplies even at the high quotations they were making to the distributors. Containers sold from \$16 to \$17 a barrel and Jessays at from \$13 to \$14.

Mrs. McManey's Experience.

Mrs. McManey, Prentiss, Miss., writes: "I was confined to my bed for three months with kidney and bladder trouble, and was treated by two physicians but failed to get relief. No human tongue can tell how I suffered, and I had given up hope of ever getting well until I began taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. After taking two bottles I felt like a new person, and feel it my duty to tell suffering women who suffer from kidney trouble, that for me, John E. Foley and Johnson & Lill Co.

ALTDORF

At the meeting of the A. S. of E. last Friday evening A. Huser and Frank Wuerstch were elected delegates to the county convention which meets in Grand Rapids Monday, Jan. 1, 1909.

Jos. Schiller is cutting the pine in his grove. He is going to have it cut into lumber for his new house that he intends to build next summer.

Our local blacksmith, Frank Shear, has been doing considerable horse shoeing since the snow has come. If you want good work done cheap give Frank a call.

Frank Wuerstch went down to see R. S. Smith Sunday. Mr. Smith is reported very low.

We saw in the Sigel items that the Sigel, Semco and Rudolph Fire Insurance Co. will hold its annual meeting in the Sigel town hall Tuesday, Jan. 5. It is to be that the directors got tired of holding the meetings at Vesper; or were they afraid some of their cherished idols might be destroyed if they held it where there were some accommodations for men and teams and therefore held it way out in the woods some where so there would be no money to be?

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith have gone to Hancock for a visit with relatives.

—The Head Waiters at Daly's Theater Christmas night.

—See the Head Waiters the great musical comedy at the opera house Christmas night at prices 25, 35 and 50 cents. Sent also now on at Drug store.

—What is located upon the mill pond above the dam?

Congressman E. A. Morse of Antigo has appointed Frank David of Hancock as his assistant in the naval academy at Annapolis. J. A. Bann of Pittsville was also a candidate and secured third place in the examination.

A. P. Hitz has purchased the W. L. Latta work shop located on the east bank of the river and will have the same moved up the river above Biron on twenty acres of land which he recently purchased of Aug. Kumpfer, and will have it remodeled into a comfortable club house.

—The Head Waiters at Daly's theater Christmas night.

Marshfield News.—Henry Sherman and Charles Ingle, clerk and chairman of the town of Rock, went down to Grand Rapids Saturday and settled in full all claims against said town in the outstanding damage case. The \$3000 bonds given by the town with which to pay the judgment was taken by Peter Hanson. The bonds run for one, two and three years.

—The Head Waiters at Daly's theater Christmas night.

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MELVIN RUCKLE, M. D.

Practice limited to Eye, Nose and Throat.

Office, Eye and Ear Surgeon, Office in Wood County.

RUDOLPH.

Albert Krommonaker and sisters Elizabeth and Anna were in your city doing some shopping on Monday.

J. Herbert Snider, principal of schools at Glendale, was a caller at Rudolph Monday. Mr. Snider is a candidate for the County Superintendent of schools at the coming spring election.

Miss In Akey spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Miss Grace Clark spent Sunday afternoon visiting relatives at Port Edwards.

Dist. No. 4 will render their Christmas program at Marcus's hall on Thursday evening. A good attendance of patrons and friends is desired by both teacher and pupil.

But Shurkey was a Grand Rapids caller Monday.

Arthur Johnson spent Sunday afternoon in Port Edwards visiting friends.

John Wilkins went to Grand Rapids Thursday.

Leonard Warner is on the sick list.

Mrs. Geo. Bates returned from Biron where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. DeKara.

Mrs. Olm. Brys was in Grand Rapids Thursday.

Edmond Livermash returned from Tomahawk Friday to spend the holidays with his parents.

Eva Shurkey went to Grand Rapids Friday returning Saturday.

Mrs. Dwight Livermash is visiting at the Lewis Livermash home.

Miss Dolly Shattuck came up from your city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shattuck were shopping in the city on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott have returned from Shiocton.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Ratelle rejoiced over the arrival of a little daughter at their place on Saturday.

Frank Spaulonia visited at the Kajawa home the latter part of the week.

Don't forget Kajawa's have a complete line of Christmas toys and tree trimmings as well. Call and see them.

Arthur Johnson was in your city Saturday.

—Hear Miss Eva LaRue, the little lady with the golden voice, with the Head Waiters, Christmas night, Dec. 25. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

—We store and deliver goods the day before Christmas for parties (also desired). Grand Rapids Tea & Coffee Co.

—FOR TRADE—A lot of coast side, valued at \$100, for a horse. Inquire at this office.

Man Frozen to Death.

Stevens Point Journal.—The body of David Malkins was found frozen in the road about a quarter of a mile north of his home in Buena Vista about 9 o'clock Sunday morning by one of the Gault boys, neighbors of the deceased. There were tracks in the snow for half a mile north, which indicated that he had crept along on his hands and knees. His body was found tangled up with a telephone pole about two miles north of his home. This would indicate that on finding that he could not extricate the team he had got out of the sleigh and had walked out a mile and a quarter before he got down and began to creep. He passed several houses but so far as known made no appeal for assistance.

His son, aged 18, who was alone, says that he thought he heard his father singing up the road between 8 and 9 o'clock but made no investigation as to why he did not come to the house. From other circumstances, however, he must have been mistaken, for the facts are as stated above.

There were no indications of foul play. Death seemed plainly due to natural causes. It is thought he may have fallen asleep in his sleigh while the horses stood at the telephone pole and that he was too numb with cold to help himself when he woke up.

—Watches at Daly's.

Miss Mattie Brownson is at Necedah where she will spend Christmas visiting with relatives.

Charles Loeffelbein, who is attending college at Chicago, is home to spend the holidays with his parents.

—The Head Waiters at Daly's theater Christmas night.

The Bliss six piece orchestra will go to Necedah Christmas to furnish music for a Leap Year party.

—Smoke Red Circle cigars. 10c value for 5c.

—The Head Waiters at Daly's theater Christmas night.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Hill have been released from quarantine, their son Harold having entirely recovered from his attack of diphtheria.

Miss Helen M. Gilkey went to Green Lake on Tuesday to spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Hallie Brooks.

—The Head Waiters at Daly's theater Christmas night.

Mrs. James Brownson who has been confined to her bed for the past five weeks, is again able to be up and around.

Joseph L. Whitner has been quite sick at the Wither house for several days past. On Tuesday he was taken to Stevens Point and placed in a sanitarium for treatment.

The program list for the Stevens Point Pottery show has been issued and the show will occur on the 6th, 6th and 7th of January, 1909. James E. Greenwald of Milwaukee will act as judge.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson were called to Rush Lake Junction on Tuesday by the death of Wm. Gibson, a brother to our fellow townsman. Deceased was known to a number of our citizens, having visited in this city.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL

—Smoke Red Circle cigars. 10c value for 5c.

Atty. J. W. Cochran transacted legal business in Marshfield on Saturday.

Paul Hues of the town of Sigel was a pleasant caller at the Tribune office on Tuesday.

—Wood County Drug Co., headquarters for the latest things in Christmas gifts.

Louis Lyonnais leaves tomorrow for Green Bay to spend Christmas with his daughters.

—The Head Waiters musical comedy at opera house Christmas night. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

Mrs. Joe Eldon and children of Necedah are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Welch for the holidays.

—A new line of the new style wood and alligator toilet sets. Wood County Drug Co.

Mrs. George Anderson of Oshkosh visited her friends and relatives in this city several days last week, returning home on Friday.

—This newest line of Christmas stationery in the city. Wood County Drug Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wright returned on Tuesday from Wausau where Mrs. Wright had spent several days visiting with friends.

—E. W. Barker's Cough Remedy that's the name. Nothing like it. It will cure you. All druggists.

At Otto, electrical engineer at the paper mill at Watub, is expected home tomorrow to spend the holidays with his family.

Chas. Hatch, bookkeeper at the Shago-Elia plant, has been confined to his home the past week with an attack of the grippe.

—Have you seen those latest Morris smoking chairs? Just the thing for a gentleman's Christmas. Geo. W. Baker & Son.

—See Lou Dunbar in his funny Jew makeup Christmas night at the opera house. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

Miss Pearl Ratelle and friend Vernice Kilbourn of Loyol, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Dudley the past week, returned to their homes on Monday.

—When you think of Christmas, think of the Daily Drug and Jewelry Co.

Mrs. J. F. Post, who has been visiting in New York for several months past, returned to her home in this city on Tuesday.

Edward Lynch has purchased the old Smith saw mill at Milladore, which was sold at sheriff's sale last week. Mr. Lynch will have the mill torn down, saving only the machinery.

Chas. Johnson of Sigel was a pleasant caller at this office today.

Mr. Johnson recently returned from Chicago where he had been in the hospital for three weeks, having undergone a surgical operation for gall stones.

—It won't cost you a cent to look over what Daly has to offer you. You may find just what you are looking for.

Signed, Reiland Packing Co.

County Board Proceedings.

Continued from last week.

Name of Claimant.

What for.

Amount Claimed.

Amount Rec'd.

Geo. W. Purnell

Supplies for Jail

\$ 13 70

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The Reiland Products.

First in line, first in choice and first in quality are the Reiland's Fancy Acorn pure food products.

We wish to call your attention to the fact that we have now ready for market, the celebrated Reiland's pure food products. Namely, Reiland's Acorn hams and bacon, little pig pork sausage, which is made from the selected corn and put up with special care. Only 150 to 180 lbs. hams and bacon are used in our Acorn hams and bacon, assuring the consumer of the very best that can be produced. Only by trial or comparison with other high grade goods you will appreciate the quality of the Reiland's.

Acorn brand big pork sausage, which is made from selected pig pork, put up in one pound packages wrapped in air tight parchment paper, also twelve little dainty links put in one pound cartons, guaranteed full weight. Our little pig pork sausage is superior to any brand on the market for its quality, and one trial will assure you of its superiority.

Again in line and always in the lead, are the Reiland's, Acorn Ham and Bacon which are nicely cut, closely trimmed, and mildly sugar cured. They will bring you that pleasant taste, which no other than the Reiland's can produce.

Last but not least is our kettled rendered lard, composed of clear fat back and raw leaf, rendered in open kettles, and manufactured and made by the most up to date machinery and experienced help that money can buy. Put up in 3, 5, 10 and 20 pound pails, and 50 lb. cans, 60 and 80 pound tubs, in barrels and kegs.

Reiland's Acorn Brand of pure food products may cost you a little more than some other brands, but it is quality that must be considered, not the price. Not how cheap it is, but how good. One trial of Reiland's will convince. Once used, always used.

Our brand may be obtained from all butchers and leading merchants. Give us a trial and be convinced. Our regular hams and bacon, and pure lard is superior to all, and put up with the best of care, and manufactured from the best corn fed hogs, that can be obtained. Wisconsin hogs are noted in large markets for their healthfulness and quality. Always a good word for Wisconsin hogs wherever you travel.

A word about our sausage. We recommend to you our frankfurts, a good quality. Now England style ham and minced style ham ready for luncheon. Also our Bologna, liver sausage and head-chesse. Our jelly pig tongue and jelly pig feet cooked and spiced ready to serve on the table, which makes a delicious cold lunch. Our boiled ham, cylinder pressed cooked in an open kettle, not steamed, so that all the flavor stays in the ham.

Our products are all manufactured in accordance with the pure food law and are sanitary and up to date in every respect, and equipped with the latest improved machinery. We are here to serve you. Our plant is open to the public for inspection.

Signed, Reiland Packing Co.

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